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SUBJECT: REDISTRIBUTION OF 1978 ATLANTIC FISHERY
ALLOCATION DECLINED BY CUBA
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1. EC COMMISSION FISHERIES OFFICIAL FARNELL INFORMED
MISSION SEPTEMBER 6 THAT WHILE FRG DESIRES TO FISH
REALLOCATED QUOTAS AS REPORTED IN REFTEL B, GERMANS
WILL PROBABLY ONLY BE ABLE TO FISH SOME OF THAT ASSIGNED
TO THEM. ITALIANS, ON THE OTHER HAND, HAVE EXPRESSED
INTEREST IN SILVER HAKE, FOR WHICH THEY DID NOT RECEIVE
AN ALLOCATION, AND ARE ALSO INTERESTED IN THE SQUID
ALLOCATION ORIGINALLY INTENDED FOR THE FRENCH, WHICH THE
FRENCH DO NOT INTEND TO USE. FARNELL INFORMALLY
SUGGESTED THAT THE COMMISSION MAY REQUEST A TRANSFER OF
SOME OF THE QUOTAS FROM ONE EC MEMBER STATE TO ANOTHER.
FARNELL SAID NO FIRM DECISION HAS BEEN TAKEN SINCE
FURTHER CONSULTATION WITH THE MEMBER GOVERNMENTS WOULD
BE NECESSARY, PARTICULARLY WITH THE ITALIANS, WHO HAVE NOT
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YET INDICATED DEFINITELY HOW MUCH OF THE GERMAN OR
FRENCH QUOTAS THEY WOULD BE ABLE TO FISH. HE SPECULATED
THAT FRENCH AND GERMANS WOULD NOT OBJECT TO THEIR UNUSED
ALLOCATIONS BEING GIVEN TO ITALY.

2. MISSION BELIEVES THAT IF THE COMMISSION MAKES THE
ANTICIPATED REQUEST, IT SHOULD BE GIVEN FAVORABLE

CONSIDERATION IN THE INTEREST OF OVERALL US-EC FISHERY
RELATIONS. WE PROVIDE FARNELL'S INFORMAL COMMENTS SO
THAT INTERESTED WASHINGTON AGENCIES CAN BEGIN PONDERING
THE MATTER. MCCARTHY

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